

PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Transmitted herewith for filing is a patent application of ____GEORG HÜTHWOHL ET AL FILTER ASSEMBLY FOR AN EXHAUST GAS PURIFICATION SYSTEM FOR: TENCLOSED ARE: THREE 3[X] sheet(s) of formal drawing(s) sheet(s) of informal drawing(s) an Assignment of the invention, with required cover sheet, to PUReM Abgassysteme GmbH & Co. KG Priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119 for the following application(s): [X] GERMAN NO. 100 35 544.7, FILED ON JULY 21, 2000 a certified copy of the aforesaid application is enclosed. a certified copy of the aforesaid application will be submitted in due course. [X] Associate Power of Attorney enclosed. **CLAIMS AS FILED** RATE FEE **FOR** NUMBER FILED NUMBER EXTRA **TOTAL CLAIMS** 10 — 20 X \$ 18.00 \$ 0.00 X \$ 80.00 0 \$ 0.00 INDEPENDENT CLAIMS 1-3

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[] Applicant claims Small Entity status.

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